DECLARATION FOR PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first, and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first, and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled FEDUCING POLYMERIZATION STRESS BY CONTROLLED SEGMENTAL CUFING the specification of which

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amondment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, 1.50(a).

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